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In re Application of: )  
KAYYEM, et al. )  
Serial No.: 08/873,978 )  
Filed: 12 June 1997 )  
For: ELECTRODES LINKED VIA )  
CONDUCTIVE OLIGOMERS )  
TO NUCLEIC ACIDS )

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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This amendment is in response to the Official Action mailed January 19, 2000. A  
petition for a two month extension is enclosed, along with the required fee, making this a  
timely response.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows: